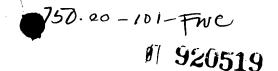
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This is a Request for filing a [] continuation-in-part, [X] continuation, [] divisional application under 37 CFR 1.62 of prior application Serial No. 07/659,408, filed on April 25, 1991, entitled URATE OXIDASE ACTIVITY PROTEIN, RECOMBINANT GENE CODING THEREFOR, EXPRESSION VECTOR, MICROORGANISMS AND TRANSFORMED CELLS, by the following named inventor(s):

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The above-identified prior application in which no payment of the issue fee, abandonment or, or termination of proceedings has occurred, is hereby expressly abandoned as of the filing date of this new application. Please use all the contents of the prior application file wrapper, including the drawings, as the basic papers for the new application. (Note: 37 CFR 1.60 may be used for applications where the prior application is not to be abandoned.)

- 1. [] Enter the amendment previously filed on _____ under 37 CFR 1.116, but unentered, in the prior application.
- 2. [] A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
- 3. [X] The filing fee is calculated below. (Small entity fees indicated in parentheses.)

CLAIMS AS FILED IN THE PRIOR APPLICATION LESS ANY CLAIMS CANCELED BY AMENDMENT BELOW

	Number Filed	Number Extra	Basic Fee Rate \$630	(\$315)
Total Claims	26 - 20	6	х \$20 (х \$10)	\$120
Independent Claims	2 - 3	-0-	х \$60 (х \$30)	-0-

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TOTAL FEE \$750.00

4. [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

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- 5. [X] A check in the amount of \$ \$750.00 is enclosed.
- 6. [] A new oath or declaration is included since this application is a continuation-in-part which discloses and claims additional matter.
- 7. [X] Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

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--This application is a [] continuation-in-part, [X] continuation, [] division, of application Serial No. 07/659,408, filed April 25, 1991, Managed and April 25, 1991, Ma

- 8. [] A verified statement claiming small entity status is enclosed. (Necessary even if a statement was filed in the prior application.)
- 9. [X] Priority of application Serial No. <u>07/659,408</u> filed on <u>April 25, 1992</u> in _____ is claimed under 35 USC 120.
- 10. [X] The prior application is assigned of record to: Elf Sanofi.
- 11. [X] The power of attorney in the prior application is to:

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- 12. [] Also enclosed:

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